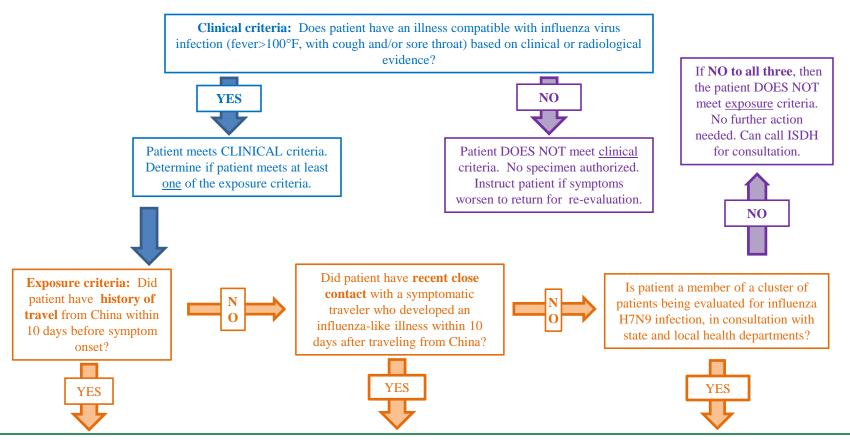


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Patient must meet clinical criteria AND exposure criteria for testing authorization



Patient meets EXPOSURE criteria. Place patient in droplet isolation and call ISDH for testing authorization at 317-233-7125. After hours, call 317-233-1325.

Areas of greatest interest in or near China: Anhui, Beijing, Fujian, Gansu, Guangdong, Guangxi, Hebei, Henan, Hong Kong, Jiangsu, Jiangxi, Liaoning, Shanghai, Sichuan, Yunnan, Zhejiang, and Tibet

Close contact is defined as a) any person who provided care for the patient, including a healthcare worker or family member, or had similarly close physical contact; or b) any person who stayed at the same place (e.g. lived with, visited) as the patient while the patient was ill. Consult CDC website at <a href="https://www.cdc.gov">www.cdc.gov</a> for more information. At this time brief interactions, such as walking by a person, are considered low risk and does not constitute close contact.